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Abstracts of Virginia Land Patents.

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(83) JOHN HOWE [1], of Accomacke, gentleman (lease for ten years), 30 acres adjoining the land of Captain Clement Dilke [2], and the land belonging to the place of Secretary. September 20th, 1628. By F West.

NOTES.

[1] John Howe was a Commissioner (justice) of Accomac in 1631, and member of the House of Burgesses for the same county in 1632 and 1632-3. Captain Daniel Howe, of Northampton county, was alive, 1653. It appears from the county records that John Howe was a commissioner of Accomac from 1632 until his death, Commander-in-chief of the county from July, 1637. In a deposition, January, 1636, he states his age as 43, and he was dead before Jan. 2d, 1647, when the Court made an order to his administrators.

[2] From the manuscript records of the London Company, recently recovered by the Virginia Historical Society, it appears that, Nov. 20th, 1622, a patent for land in Virginia was granted to "Mr. Dilke, of Clements Inn, Middlesex, Gentleman." See *Historical Society Magazine*, Vol. I, p. 443, for a note on Clement Dilke.

(84) WILLIAM HARRIS, of Warwick River, planter (lease for ten years), 100 acres about two miles below Blunt Point, adjoining the land of Richard Tree and extending along the bank of the river fifty poles. September 20, 1628. By F. West.

(85) LIEUTENANT THOMAS PURFURY (lease for ten years), 100 acres in Elizabeth City, abutting westerly on a small creek dividing said land from the fields called fort Henry [1], and running west to the land granted to Christopher Calthropp, gentleman. September 20, 1628. By F. West.

NOTE.

[1] This was doubtless a place afterwards called "The Fort Fields," which belonged to Col. Chas. Morrison (whose father, Capt. Richd. Morrison, had been commander of the fort at Point Comfort), and which were sold by his heirs to Robert Beverley (*Eliza. City Records*).

(86) WILLIAM COX, of Elizabeth City, planter (lease for ten years), 100 acres in Elizabeth City. September 20, 1628. By F. West.

(87) CHRISTOPHER WINDMILL, of Elizabeth City, planter (lease for

ten years), 60 acres in Elizabeth City, bounded southerly by the plantation called "the Indian Howse thickett," formerly granted to Lieutenant Thomas Flint, and on the northeast by the land granted to Jonas Stockton, Minister, deceased, and on the west by the Southampton river. September 20, 1628. By F. West.

(89) WALTER HEYLEY, ancient planter (lease for ten years), 50 acres in Elizabeth City. September 20, 1628 By F. West.

(90) ROBERT MARSHALL, planter (lease for ten years), 10 acres in the Island of James City, abutting westerly on the lands of Mary Bayly, easterly, on the lands of Thomas Passmore, Carpenter; southerly, on the highway adjoining the marshes of Goosehill, and westerly, on the highway that parts said land from that now in the occupation of Elmer Phillips. September 20, 1628. By F. West.

(91) LIEUTENANT EDWARD WATERS [1], of Elizabeth City (lease for ten years), 100 acres in Elizabeth City, being part of the Strawberry banks, and abutting easterly on a creek "called Thomas his Creeke," towards the precincts of Buck Roe [2]. October 20, 1628. By F. West.

NOTES.

[1] Mr. H. E. Waters, in his "Gleanings," gives the following abstract from the will on record at Somerset House, London. Will of Edward Waters, of Elizabeth City, Virginia, gentleman; dated at Great Hornmead, Hertfordshire, England, August 20, 1630, proved September 18, 1630. Leaves his son William his lands in Virginia; directs that all goods, &c., in England, Virginia, Ireland or elsewhere, shall be sold by the advice of his brother, John Waters, of Middleham, Yorkshire. Other legatees are wife Mrs. Grace Waters and daughter Margaret. The Northampton records show that Wm. Waters is described, in 1646, as son and heir of Edward Waters, of Elizabeth City, in 1646; that in 1652 his mother was Mrs. Grace Robins; in or before 1652, he (William) had married the widow of George Clarke; and March, 1652, was elected high sheriff of Northampton by the people of that county, and in March, 1656, was appointed by the Governor, Council and Burgesses major of militia, and a justice (of the quorum) for Northampton. See *Hist. Soc. Mag.*, Vol. I, p. 92, for note on Edward Waters.

[2] Samuel Selden, of Elizabeth City, the first of that family in Virginia. in his will dated May 24, and proved July, 1720, gives the plantation called Buckrow to his wife Rebecca for her life, remainder to his right heirs.

(92) CHRISTOPHER WINDMILL, of Elizabeth City, planter (lease for ten years), 50 acres in Elizabeth City. Nov. 30, 1628. By F. West.

(93) WILLIAM HARRIS, of Warwick River, planter (lease for ten years), 50 acres about two miles below Blunt Point. Nov. 20, 1628. By F. West.

(94) WILLIAM COOKESEY, of Warwick River, planter (lease for ten years), 150 acres on the east side of Blunt Point Creek, extending south to the land of John Layden. December 2d, 1628. By F. West.

(95) NICHOLAS ROE, planter (lease for ten years), 40 acres in Elizabeth City, bounded on the east by Point Comfort Creek. December 1st, 1628. By F. West.

(96) THOMAS DELAMAJOR, of James City, Joyner (lease for ten years), a small slip of land (3 acres) at Goose Hill, in the Island of James City, abutting westerly upon the land of Dame Elizabeth Dale [1], and easterly upon Goose Hill Marsh. March 14, 1628. By F. West.

NOTE.

[1] Dame Elizabeth Dale was the widow of Sir Thomas Dale, Governor of Virginia. She also owned land on the Eastern Shore of Virginia, and her will is recorded in Northampton County. An abstract of it was printed in the William and Mary Quarterly.

(97) ROGER SAUNDERS [1], of Accomacke, mariner (lease for ten years), 50 acres adjoining the land of John Blore, deceased, now in the possession of said Saunders, and extending westerly on the waterside to the land of Captain Henry Fleete. March 14, 1628. By John Pott.

NOTE.

[1] Roger Saunders was commissioner (justice) of Accomac, 1631, and member of the House of Burgesses, 1631-'2. It appears from the county records that he died prior to February, 1633, and his widow seems to have married Wm. Burdett, of Accomac.

(98) ELIAS LA GUARD, vigneron, lease, 100 acres in Elizabeth City, on the Western side of Harris his Creek. March 14, 1627. By John Pott.

(99) WILLIAM SMITH [1], of Accomac, planter, lease, 100 acres in Accomac, bounding southerly on the land of John Falwood, and extending westerly on Chesapeake Bay. October 15, 1629. By John Pott.

NOTE.

[1] The will of William Smith, of Accomac, was dated April 23d, 1636, and proved September, 1636. He requests that Mr. Cotton make

his funeral sermon, and receive for it 100 lbs. tobacco, and that 50 lbs. be paid Garrett Andrews (carpenter) for making his coffin; legatees are: Francis Millisent, Eliz. Harlowe, daughter of John Harlowe, his servant Daniel Pighles, who is to be given a year of his time and all of the testator's clothes; and appoints friends Nicholas Harwood and Walter Scott executors. Leaves small estate.

(100) NICHOLAS BROWNE [1], planter, lease, 50 acres in Elizabeth City, bounded on the south by the land formerly granted to Walter Heeley, and extending northerly towards the head of Southampton River. June 6, 1635. By Sir John Harvey.

NOTE.

[1] Nicholas Browne was a vestryman of Hampton Parish, Elizabeth City, in 1646 (*Meade*).

(101) JACOB AVERIE (lease for 21 years), 500 acres on Skiff's Creek [Warwick county], extending northerly "towards the Creek towards Martin's Hundred," Southwest towards the land of Thomas Nowell, and east towards the maine—beginning on the east side of a spring called Jacob's Well. 1630. By Sir John Harvey.

(102) THOMAS PURIFOY [1], of Elizabeth City, Esquire, 500 acres upon a point called Cross quarter, bounded southwest by the back river, "and goeth down to a point called Willoughby's Neck," and also lying along the river called Pocason river. May 4, 1631. By Sir John Harvey.

NOTE.

[1] See *Virginia Historical Society Magazine*, Vol. I, pp. 417 and 418.

(102) CAPTAIN ROBERT FELGATE [1], gentleman, 350 acres at Kisky-ocke [2] upon Pamunkey [3] River, abutting easterly upon the ground of Captain John West [4], and extending westerly towards the maine river. Due for the importation of himself, his son, and four servants, who came in the *William and John* in 1628. April 25, 1632. By Harvey.

NOTES.

[1] Captain Robert Felgate was a commissioner (justice) of Warwick River, 1632 (*Hening*), of York county, 1633, and many years later (*York Records*), and burgess for "the other side of the water," 1629 and 1629-30 (*Hening*). His will was dated 1649. and proved 1655, and his legatees were his wife, Sibilla, his brother, William Felgate, of the City of London, Skinner, grandchild, Thomas Newton, resident in Holland, and grandchild, Thomas Bruton (*York Records*). In a later

patent to him his wife, Margaret (1st wife), son, Erasmus, and daughter, Judith are headrights. There is on record in York a bond, dated January 29, 1644, from Henry Lee and Richard Lee to indemnify "Mrs. Sibella Felgate, the relict and late wife of Captain Robert Felgate gentleman dec'd," and referring to Captain Robert Felgate as "having married the mother of John Adkins, who was the brother of Marah, wife of the above Henry Lee." One of his brothers, William Felgate, referred to above, was living in York in 1653 and 1659 (*York Records*), and in the latter year was a justice of the county (*Hening*). In this year he stated, in a deposition, that he was about 47 years old. His will, proved in York in 1660, left his estate to his wife, Mary Felgate, and £20 to his daughter Mary "in case she came to Virginia in five years," also legacies to his [step] son, William Bassett, and daughter, Mary Bassett. In 1655 Mary Bassett petitioned York court for the lands of Robert Felgate, deceased, claiming to be his heir. It appears from the county record that Mary, widow of Thomas Bassett, married, secondly, William Felgate, of Queen's Creek, York, and, thirdly, Captain John Underhill, Jr., a native of the city of Worcester, England, who died in 1672, and fragments of whose tomb remain at Felgate's Creek in that county. It does not appear how Mary Bassett could have been the heir of Robert Felgate.

[2] Kiscoyacke, or Kiskiack, was a district in the present York county, in the vicinity of Yorktown. It derived its name from a tribe of Indians which inhabited it. See *1st Hening* for several early acts to encourage planting and settlement there.

[3] Pamunkey was the original name of the river which was afterwards called Charles and now York.

[4] See *Virginia Historical Society Magazine*, Vol. I. 423 and 424.

(103) CAPTAIN TOBY FELGATE [1], mariner, 150 acres at Kiskyacke, upon Pamunkey River, adjoining the land of his brother, Captain Robert Felgate. Due him as an adventurer into the Colony. April 25, 1632. By Harvey.

NOTE.

[1] As early as 1623 Captain Toby Felgate had made five voyages to Virginia as mate and master (*Proceedings of Va. Company*).

(104) ROGER SAUNDERS, gentleman, 300 acres in Accomack, commonly called the Indian Field; abutting southeast upon the creek that runs up by the old plantation, and northeast upon the creek that runs between this land and that of Mr. Harman [Harmar?] June 18, 1632. By Harvey.

(105) WILLIAM DAWKES, planter, 250 acres in a neck of land commonly called the Verinas [1]; abutting easterly upon a creek known as

two mile Creek, and thence extending westerly towards the land of Thomas Parker. Due in right of his father Henry Dawkes, and his uncle William Leigh, for their personal adventure, and for a bill of adventure, dated July 14, 1608. Patent dated June 30, 1632. By Harvey.

NOTE.

[1] More commonly spelt Varina. It is said that the name was given because the tobacco grown there resembled a Spanish tobacco called Varinas. Varina was long the county seat of Henrico, and is stated to have been for a time the residence of John Rolfe and Pocahontas, on land given them by Powhatan. Rev. William Stith lived here when minister of Henrico Parish, and here dates the preface to his history of Virginia. Richard Randolph (in the *Southern Literary Messenger*) says that in his time the sites of the Glebe, Courthouse, jail, tavern, and of John Rolfe's house, were pointed out. Under the name of Akin's Landing it was well known, during the late war, as a place of exchange of prisoners. Nearly all of Varina Neck at one time belonged to the Randolph family.

(106) ROBERT BARRINGTON [1], of James City, 250 acres in the County of James City; bounded on the south by the back river, north-east by Powhatan Swamp, and northwest by the great river. July 6, 1632. By Harvey.

NOTE.

[1] Robert Barrington was Clerk of the Council, 1623, and member of the House of Burgesses for James City, 1629-30.

(107) JOHN ARUNDELL, of the lower parish of Elizabeth City, gentleman, 100 acres in Elizabeth City, upon the back river, extending easterly towards the land now in the tenure of John Chandler. Due for part of a bill of adventure of two hundred and eighty-seven pounds ten shillings, dated October 14, 1617, and signed by David Watkins Cashier. August 1st, 1632. By Harvey.

(108) THOMAS HARWOOD [1], of Skiffes Creek, gentleman, 100 acres, adjoining his own land on Skiffes Creek [Warwick Co.], granted in the right of Sergeant Hugh Heywood. September 1st, 1632. By Harvey.

NOTE.

[1] Captain Thomas Harwood came to Virginia about 1620, and on June 28 of that year he (described as "the Chief of Martin's Hundred") was appointed member of the Council (*Proceedings of Va. Company*). He was probably a relative of Sir Edward Harwood (a distinguished soldier), who was a member of the Virginia Company,

and in 1619 presented a petition to that body in behalf of the proprietors of Martin's Hundred. An examination of Sir Edward's will, however, shows no reference to him. On July 24, 1621, he was again appointed to the Council, but does not appear to have remained long a member of that body, as he was Burgess for Mulberry Island, 1629, 1630, 1633 and 1642; for Warwick County, 1644, 1645, 1648 and 1649; Speaker of the House, 1648-'9, and chosen member of the Council 1652 (*Henning*). He took an active part in the deposition of Governor Harvey, and was sent to England in 1634 by the House of Burgesses to defend their action in that affair. Immediately on arriving he was arrested, and for a time kept a close prisoner in the Fleet prison; but was released and returned to Virginia (*Sainsbury Abstracts*). He appears to have been for many years one of the leading men of the Colony, and had numerous descendants in Warwick (where some of the family still reside) and York. It is also probable that those of the name in Charles City and King William were descendants.

In 1652 Humphrey Harwood patented 2,070 acres in Warwick, which had been granted to Captain Thomas Harwood in 1637, and had now descended to the said Humphrey Harwood as his son and heir. In the same year Mrs. Ann Harwood patented 150 acres adjoining this grant. Captain Humphrey Harwood was Burgess for Warwick in 1685, and Major Humphrey Harwood (doubtless the same) Burgess in 1692 (*Journals*). Humphrey Harwood, Sheriff of Warwick, 1710. William Harwood, Sheriff of Warwick, 1721. Major William Harwood, of Warwick, for many years Justice and Burgess, died June 2d, 1737 (*Va. Gazette*). Colonel William Harwood was member of the House of Burgesses for Warwick, 1744, 1748, 1752, 1753, 1755, 1758, 1764, 1765, 1769, 1772, 1774 (and doubtless in other intervening years), member of the County Committee of Safety in 1775-'6, of the Convention of 1776, and of the House of Delegates, 1776. Edward Harwood was a justice of Warwick, 1770; County Lieutenant, 1788 (*Cal. of Va. State Papers*), and member of the House of Delegates, 1780. Humphrey Harwood, of Williamsburg, was appointed in 1775 a lieutenant in the troops then raised. He died November, 1788, leaving a wife and six children (*Va. Gazette*). Elizabeth, widow of William Harwood, died in Warwick September 7, 1834, aged sixty years, leaving four children (*Newspaper*).

The first of the name who appear in Charles City County were Captain Joseph (alive 1688) and Captain Samuel. The first named married Agnes, daughter of Captain Thomas Cocke, Sr., of Henrico; and the second married, in 1694, her sister, Temperence Cocke. Joseph Harwood was a justice of Charles City in 1705, and Captain Samuel in 1710. Captain Thos. Cocke, Sr., in his will dated 1689, names his grandchildren Thomas, Joseph, Agnes and Thomas Harwood. Samuel Harwood was Burgess for Charles City, 1723. Samuel Harwood, Jr., was a justice of Charles City in 1719, and appears to have been out of the

commission for a time, as in 1723 the Governor and Council ordered him to be restored to his former place. Samuel Harwood, probably the same, was sheriff of the county, 1730, 1731 and 1737. Samuel Harwood, Jr., "of Weyanoke," was appointed justice of Charles City in 1739. Samuel Harwood was member of the Charles City Committee of Safety, 1775 and 1776, and of the Convention of 1776. Samuel Harwood was appointed major in the Virginia forces raised in 1775. Littleberry Harwood was a soldier in the State Line during the Revolution. William Harwood of Charles City (probably of "Weyanoke," as his descendants own that estate), married Margaret Waldrop, and had two children: I. Agnes, married in 1788, Fielding Lewis, of Gloucester; II. Nancy, married Thomas Lewis, of Gloucester. Captain William Harwood, of King and Queen, died September, 1773, aged 39. Christopher Harwood, of King and Queen, married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Roane, and had issue: I. Col. Archibald Roane, of "Newington," King and Queen, member of the House of Delegates, 1816, 1822, 1823, 1824, 1832 and 1834; died September 18, 1837, aged 52 years; married Martha, daughter of Samuel G. Fauntleroy; II. Thomas, moved to Tennessee. A. R. and Martha (Fauntleroy) Harwood had issue: I. Samuel Fauntleroy, married Elizabeth, daughter of Dr. Austin Brockenbrough; II. Priscella; III. Mary Susan; IV. Emily Garnett; V. Lucy, married Judge McPheeters, of New York; VI. Sarah, married Robert Pollard; VII. Archibald A.; VIII. Thomas, married ——— Brown, of Texas, and had six children; IX. Daughter, married ——— Winder.

Thomas Harwood, who was probably a younger son of Captain Thomas Harwood, of Warwick, was a justice of York county in 1653. In York county there was a succession of three Thomas Harwoods, father, son and grandson, beginning with Thomas Harwood, who was a justice in 1652.

(109) THOMAS HARWOOD, of Skiffes Creek, gentleman, 140 acres on Skiffes Creek abutting southerly on the land of Mrs. Avery. Due in right of Hugh Heyward made over to him June 20, 1631. By Harvey, September 1st, 1632.

(110) JOHN POTT, of Harrop, within the Corporation of James City, doctor in Physick, 200 acres on Skiffes Creek, adjoining the lands of Mr. Thomas Nowell and Mr. Jacob Avery. Due for the adventure of four servants: John Milward, Randolph Holt, Ruth a maid Servant, and Thomas Popkin. By Harvey, September 1st, 1632.

(111) WILLIAM DAWKES, of Verinas, in the Corporation of Charles City, planter; son and heir apparent of Henry Dawkes deceased; 200 acres in Charles City on a creek called the two mile Creek, and adjoining

ing the land of Thomas Parker. Due 100 acres for the personal adventure of the said Henry Dawkes, an ancient planter, and 100 for a bill of adventure of £12. 10, in right of his father, Henry Dawkes deceased, dated July 14, 1608. By Harvey, September 17, 1632.

Appended is the following "bill of adventure," which is given as an example:

"Whereas Henry Dawkes now bound on the intended voyage to Virginia hath paid in ready money to S'r Thomas Smith K't, Treasurer for Virginia, the sume of twelve pownds tenn shillings for his Adventure in the voyage to Virginia, It is agreed y't for the sume the said Henry Dawkes his heirs Executo'rs Adm'rs assigns shall have rateably according to his Adventure full p'te of all such lands tenem'ts and hereditm'ts as shall from time to time bee recovered planted and in habited, And of all such Mines and Mineralls of Gould Silver and other mettalls or Treasures pearles pretious stones or any kind of Wares or Merchandize comodities or p'fits whatsoever which shall bee obtained or gotten in the said voyage According to the portion of money by him imployed to that use, In as large and ample manner as any other Adventurer therein shall receive for the like Summe. Written this fowerteenth of July one Thousand six hundred and Eight.

RICHARD ATKINSON.

Recorded the eighth of Septemb. one Thousand six hundred thirty two.

BEN. HARRISON " [Clerk of the Council].

(112) JOHN ARUNDELL, of the back river in Elizabeth City, gentleman, son and heir apparent to Peter Arundell, gentleman, deceased; 100 acres on back river, adjoining the land formerly granted to Bartholomew Hoskins, and extending easterly towards the land of Captain Richard Stephens Esq., now in the tenure and occupation of John Chandler, planter. Due in right of his father for one share in a bill of adventure of £287. 10, dated October 4, 1617. By Harvey, September 7, 1632.

(113) BARTHOLOMEW HOSKINS, of the back river, in Elizabeth City, ancient planter, who came over to this country before the departure of Sir Thomas Dale; 100 acres on the back river, due to him for his personal adventure and formerly granted to him by Sir Francis Wyatt November 3d, 1620. By Harvey, September 7, 1632.

(114) JOHN ROBINS [1] the younger, of the back river in Elizabeth City, planter, son and heir apparent of John Robins the elder, deceased; 300 acres on back river in Elizabeth city. Due him, in right of the said John Robins the elder, for the transportation of six persons into this country (vizt) of himself the said John Robins the elder, and John Rob-

ins the younger his son, Henry West, Peter Asheley, Joseph Moore, and William Davis his servants, who came in the *Margaret & John* in 1622. By Harvey, September 7, 1632.

NOTE.

[1] John¹ Robins, the elder, died on his voyage to Virginia (*Hotten*). His son John² Robins, the younger, settled in Elizabeth City county, and patented several tracts of land in various parts of the Colony, among them one (in 1642) of 2,000 acres in Gloucester county, where he resided the last few years of his life, and where the place of his residence acquired the name, "Robins' Neck," which it still retains. He was a member of the House of Burgesses from Elizabeth City, 1646 and 1649 (*Hening*), and a justice of that county in 1652 (*York Records*). He appears to have been twice married; first, to Dorothy —, and, secondly, in or before 1638, to Alice —. According to an act passed in 1734 for docking the entail on part of the lands inherited from him (*Hening* IV, 461), "John Robins, late of Robins's Neck, in the county of Gloucester, deceased, was in his life time, seised in fee simple, of two thousand acres of land, with the appurtenances, lying and being in Robins's Neck, aforesaid, between the rivers Ware and Severn, in the parishes of Ware, and Abington, in the county aforesaid; and of five hundred acres of land, with the appurtenances, lying and being in the parish of Elizabeth City, in the county of Elizabeth City, and so being thereof seised, did make his last will and testament in writing, bearing date the two and twentyeth day of November, in the year of our lord one thousand six hundred and fifty-five."

From the same authority it is known that he had issue: I. Christopher³, eldest son, who left only two children, (1) Anne⁴, who married Robert Freeman, and (2) Elizabeth⁴, married James Shackelford; II. William³, second son, died without issue; III. Thomas³; IV. Daughter³; V. Daughter³.

Thomas³ Robins, "chirurgion" [surgeon] as he is several times styled in the records of York county, where he appears to have practiced, was alive in 1674. In or before 1666, he married Mary, daughter of Major John Hansford, of York, and issue, so far as known, one son, John⁴. Mrs. Elizabeth Lockey, who had been the wife of Major John Hansford, in her will, dated 1675, gives a legacy to her grandson, John Robins.

John⁴ Robins, of Gloucester county, married, prior to 1693, Jane —, and had issue: I. Mary⁵, born Nov. 5, 1693 (*Abingdon Parish Register*); II. William⁵.

William⁵ Robins, born December 5, 1715 (*Abingdon Register*), died 1786. He married Elizabeth, whose surname, according to tradition, was Dunbar (there was a family of the name then resident in Gloucester), and had issue, as appears from his will, dated July 13, 1782, and proved in Gloucester, July 6, 1786: I. John⁶, born between 1737 and

1741 (*Abingdon Register*—here defective); II. Thomas⁶, born 1745 (*Abingdon Register*); III. William⁶; IV. Rebecca⁶, married Isaac Singleton (and had issue: William⁷, Isaac⁷, Joshua⁷, Thomas⁷, Elizabeth⁷, and Jane⁷, named in their grandfather's will); V. Daughter⁶, married John Stubbs (and had issue: Thomas⁷, William⁷, Samuel⁷, James Colman⁷, John⁷, and Elizabeth⁷, named in their grandfather's will); VI. Daughter⁶, married Thomas Chamberlain Amory.

William⁶ Robins, of Gloucester, was born 1749 (*Abingdon Register*), and married Dorothy Boswell, of Gloucester. Had issue: I. William⁷; II. Elizabeth⁷, married John Stevens; III. Anne⁷, married William Wallington; IV. Susanna⁷, married Frank Stubbs; V. Rebecca⁷, married James N. Stubbs, and was grandmother of State Senator Stubbs, of Gloucester, Professor T. J. Stubbs, of William and Mary, and Professor W. C. Stubbs, of Louisiana.

William⁷ Robins, of "Level Green," Gloucester, born 1770, died Dec. 22d, 1846 (*Rd. Enquirer*); married three times, (I) — Whiting, and had several children, none of whom left issue; (II) Juliana, daughter of Christopher Pryor, of Gloucester. Her mother was a Miss Clayton, most probably a daughter of Captain Jasper Clayton, and granddaughter of John Clayton, the botanist; (III) — Fleming, no issue by last marriage. Issue (by 2d marriage); I. William⁸, married Elizabeth Cary, and had Cary⁹, who married — Thurston; II. Augustine Warner⁸; III. Emeline⁸, married Henry Davies; IV. Julia⁸, married Dr. Wm. Bernard Todd; V. John⁸, married — Thornton, and had (1) Richard⁹; (2) Martha⁹; (3) John W.⁹; (4) Julia Pryor⁹; VI. Catherine Clayton⁸, born 1806, died 1847; married, in 1827, Dr. Joseph H. Robins; VII. Elizabeth S.⁸, married, in 1817, Christopher Whiting, of Gloucester; VIII. Maria⁸, married James R. Stubbs, of Gloucester.

Augustine Warner⁸ Robins, of "Level Green," Gloucester county, born 1809, died June 19, 1876 (*Enquirer*); member of the House of Delegates from Gloucester, 1841, 1842 and 1843; married (I) Maria Todd; (II) Elizabeth Todd. Issue (1st marriage): I. William Todd⁹; II. Mary⁹, married Dr. Thomas Latane, of King and Queen; III. Bernard⁹; IV. Bartlett Todd⁹, married and died without issue; V. Archibald Harwood⁹, married — Sinclair, and had two children; VI. Joseph⁹, married — Bagby; VII. Maria⁹, married Solomon Kemp; VIII. Taylor⁹, married Sally Seawell, and had two children.

Colonel William Todd⁹ Robins, of Gloucester and Richmond City, entered C. S. A. as a private in Lee's Rangers (cavalry), promoted to lieutenant April, 1862, captain Oct., 1862, lieutenant-colonel July, 1863, colonel 24th Virginia Cavalry Jan., 1864, and served throughout the war with distinguished gallantry; married (I) Martha Tabb, daughter of Wm. Patterson and Marion (Morson) Smith, of Gloucester, and (II) Sally Berkeley, daughter of Dr. Wilmer Nelson, of the same county.

Issue: (1st m.), I Marion Seddon¹⁰; (2d m.), II Ruth¹⁰; III. Elizabeth¹⁰; IV. Warner¹⁰; V. Nelson¹⁰; VI. Sarah¹⁰.

(115) WILLIAM SPENCER, of James Island, in the Corporation of James City, yeoman, 250 acres on the west side of Lawnes Creek, at its mouth [this is now in Surrey]. Due in right of James Tooke, who came in the *George* in 1621, at the charges of said Spencer; in right of Hugh Wynn and Robert Latchett, who both came in the *George* in 1621, at the charges of Captain William Pierce (who has transferred his right to Spencer); of James Robinson, who came in the *Charatie* in 1622, at the cost of said Spencer, and also in right of Joseph Deane. By Harvey, Sept. 29, 1632.

(116) CAPTAIN WILLIAM TUCKER, ESQ. [1], of the Council of State, 100 acres in Elizabeth City, at the mouth of Broad Creek, and adjoining the land now in the tenure and occupation of Henry Southerne [2], and that of Thomas Watts. Due for the transportation of Richard Heale, and William Elberry in the *Elleanor* in 1622. By Harvey.

Appended is a transfer of this land by William Tucker to Launcelot Barnes [3]. Witnesses John Utye and Francis Bolton.

NOTES.

[1] In pedigree of Thompson, Visitation of London, is entered the name of Mary, daughter of Ralph Thompson, and wife of "William Tucker, of London, merchant." See *Hist. Society Magazine*, I, 188-9.

[2] Probably a kinsman of John Southerne, who was a member of the House of Burgesses, 1623, and for James City Island, 1629-30.

[3] Member of the House of Burgesses for "the lower part of Elizabeth City," 1629-30.

(117) ELMER PHILLIPS, of Elizabeth City, 100 acres on Poynt Comfort Creek. Head Rights: Elmer Phillips and his servant Daniel French, who came in 1622. Granted by Harvey, June 5, 1633.